

ESPER-TE BANDIT, WHO LIVED IN A RUDE, FOR-FAKE DUGOUT, IS FINALLY CAPTURED!

OFFICER JUMPS ON HIM - SPITE UP - JED RIFLE

Even After Being Tied, He Continues to Fight to Escape From Constable.

HIS BEARD NOT SHAVED THE LAST SIX YEARS

Thousand Dollars Reward for Him Said to Be Offered in United States.

Selkirk, Man., May 6.—The bandit of Bassam Bay, who has terrorized the inhabitants of that neighborhood, on the southeast shore of Lake Winnipeg for years, a notorious criminal who has hidden from justice in a rude for-ke dugout, and who has passed here under the name of John Dudgeon, was arrested and brought to Selkirk last night by Provincial Constable John Birlinghouse.

Dudgeon has been the terror of the countryside for six years, but it was only after his lucky capture, single-handed by Birlinghouse, that his real identity as a badly wanted criminal with a price on his head was suspected, and this will probably be confirmed by a positive identification at Winnipeg.

Birlinghouse's story of the arrest of his man at the door of his hut-like dug-out reads like a page from Conan Doyle. Saturday this man, who went about only at night, and always armed, accused a neighbor, William Thomas, of stealing a revolver, and afterwards attempted to stab him.

Thomas came to Selkirk and swore out a warrant, then guided the constable to the bandit's retreat, on a lonely homestead in the forest, five miles inland from Bassam Bay.

To the fact that Constable Birlinghouse found his man outside the hut in which he lurked he possibly owes his life. He drove as near as possible to the place, and, leaving the driver, proceeded alone.

Suddenly a man, who proved to be Dudgeon, confronted him with an up-raised rifle. In the conversation that followed the constable represented himself as a political canvasser and gradually got near enough to Dudgeon to spring upon him.

The criminal then drew a heavy dagger and succeeded in inflicting a slight flesh wound before he was over-powered and shackled. Even then a fierce rough and tumble fight followed. Constable Birlinghouse then searched the man.

On his person and lying behind the log breastwork that fronted his dug-out, he found two repeating army rifles, both fully loaded, a shotgun, two daggers and two hundred rounds of shells.

The dugout was the rudest sort of habitation, without a light, and hardly any conveniences of life, although the man is an intelligent and seemingly educated man. In front of the single entrance of the hut was a breast-work of logs with portholes.

Six years ago the man fled on the heels of the law, and since that time he has remained there, never going out by day. He is unshaven and unkempt, with the upper lip and chin covered with a few receding hairs. His eyes, which have been untouched, he has terrorized the neighborhood, buying a few necessities of life from them at night, but more often stealing from their barns and cabins by night.

A cow and calf were found by the constable, the cow dead, but her body still warm. She appeared to have died from starvation. A goat and a few chickens were also found. Dudgeon, who had on him an old fifty-dollar bill and a few dollars in change, articles that led to identification and evidence of former and more far-reaching crimes were found and taken.

Even after the man was shackled, he continued his efforts to escape, and was only brought back by the constable. If the suspicions of the provincial police here are correct, Dudgeon, under his real name, is badly wanted in United States authorities and a price of \$1,000 hangs over his head.

Edmonton is Represented.

Toronto, May 6.—Train from all directions and all parts of Canada brought delegates to the 14th annual meeting of the national chapter, imperial order, Daughters of the Empire, which will be in session in the Foresters' hall until Thursday night.

Among the western towns which are represented are Saskatoon, Regina, Edmonton, Vancouver, Victoria, Kelowna, Nepeawa and Portage la Prairie.

Favorite Wine Cheater Cup

Chester, England, May 6.—The Chester cup, a handicap of 2,500 pounds, two miles and a quarter, was won here today by the favorite, Mr. Fairies' five-year-old bay colt, Alepo, by Beppo-Cherlin carrying 8 st. 4 lb. and starting at 3 to 1. Burns' Annie, 7 st. 10 lb. 6 was second and Sir William Cooke's Gravelotte, 7 st. 2 lb., 100 to 6, third.

GREAT BRITAIN DELIVERS AN ULTIMATUM TO HAYTI!

Port Au Prince, Hayti, May 6.—The British diplomatic representative at Port-Au-Prince today delivered an ultimatum to the Haytian government demanding the immediate payment of an indemnity of \$62,000 to a British subject, compensation for destruction by fire of his saw mill during the Leonti revolution. The ultimatum expires at 6 o'clock this evening. The British demand is supported by the presence here of the British cruiser Suffolk. The payment of this sum of money to the British subject in question, a man named Peters, previously had been ordered by a court of arbitration. Immediately after the presentation of the British demand the members of the chamber of deputies and the senate met in joint session. The deliberations were marked by great excitement. Senator Cauvin bitterly reproached the cabinet for not being able to meet the demand. There are no funds in hand with which to make the payment demanded.

EDMONTON CAPITAL

LAST EDITION. Fair today and Thursday with a little higher temperature.

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ORATORS GALORE ON SPECIAL TRAIN TO AD CONVENTION

Provincial Publicity Commissioner Deposits Ten-Spot as Evidence Good Faith.

LADIES TO HAVE THE TIME OF THEIR LIVES

Moonlight Trips, Niagara Falls, Motor Rides, Regattas—All For Fair Sex.

More than half a hundred had made deposits on berths for the trip to Toronto being run by the Edmonton Industrial association in June up till eleven o'clock this morning, among those dropping in today being Charles S. Hotchkiss, provincial publicity commissioner, whom the association has persuaded to be prepared to make addresses at some of the cities where stops will be made en route.

Some of the other speakers who are expected to be along are Rev. Dr. W. L. Armstrong, President, W. J. Magrath, James Ramsey, Mayor W. J. McManara, W. A. Griesbach, Hon. D. Mackay, M. S. Booth, Mrs. Arthur Murphy, S. A. G. Barnes, Dr. H. M. Zory, H. H. Hull, John Blue, H. H. Cooper, and Lieutenant-Governor G. H. V. Bulyea.

Down in Toronto tremendous preparations are almost perfected for making this the greatest advertising convention ever held. A lot of money has been raised to finance it and more is being raised.

Visiting ladies are promised the time of their lives, and the program for the trip includes a motor trip to Niagara Falls, luncheon at city daily, theater matinee, moonlight on the lake, luncheon at the Lamont Golf club, motor tour, reception by mayor, regatta, and motor cycle sports, trip to the Falls, and military tattoo.

The work of the entertainment committee has revolved into particularly good shape, and there will be "something doing" every moment not occupied by the business sessions. The 4th Highlanders' band has been engaged for the whole convention. Some of the entertainment features planned are: Mid-day band concerts, motor ride through city, moonlight excursion, raffle carnival, motor cycle races, military tattoo.

A thoroughly equipped post office with mail boxes and stamping machine will be present at the exhibition grounds has been authorized by the postal authorities and the official departure without leaving the exhibition grounds.

It is not necessary to be a member of the association to get the convention rate of \$48.00 return, or to go to Toronto on the special train leaving here midnight, June 13.

Redistribution Work Done.

Ottawa, May 6.—The redistribution committee, it is stated, has practically completed its labors, and in the course of a few days will be ready to report to the house.

PROMINENT SOCIALISTS IN "MOURNING PICKET" FOR JOHN D. ROCKE-FELLER, JR.



Miss Elizabeth Freeman and Union picket in front of the office of John D. Rockefeller in New York, yesterday. Sinclair started the picket as a protest against the killing of the striking miners in Colorado. Inset is a photo of "Miners' March" parade, the I.W.O. agitator who took a prominent part in the affair.

BIG QUESTION TO BE ANSWERED BY PASTOR FOR 600 MEMBERS TO VISIT ADJACENT TOWNS AT OWN EXPENSE

Will Explain at Lunch His Reasons for Joining Industrial Association.

SECRETARY PROMISES SOME ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. W. L. Armstrong, pastor of McDougall Methodist church, will be one of the principal speakers tomorrow night at the Empire dining room, at which arrangements were made for still furthering the work of getting the boards of trade on the Edmonton district together.

The association will write to the San Diego and San Francisco fair authorities for information regarding the cost of space, with a view of exhibiting the agricultural products of this whole district at both exhibitions, which will be held next year.

The following members of the association have volunteered to visit the different towns in the district and confer with the boards of trade. They have agreed to do so at their own expense.

J. Magrath, Robert Kenneth, A. J. Davidson, A. T. Herrar, T. H. Miller, T. J. Mullen, James Ramsey, C. H. Field, H. A. Roth, John C. Chadwick, Dr. H. R. Smith and W. A. Milne.

BRILLIANT ARRAY OF SPEAKERS FOR NORTH BATTLEFORD

Magrath, Hotchkiss, Brown and Hall Among Those From Edmonton.

MEN IN ALL WALKS FROM WHOLE WEST

Industrial Association President's Address to Be on Manufacturing in Alberta.

Several Edmonton men are scheduled to speak at the colonization convention for western Canada to be held in North Battleford on May 14 and 15. This idea was initiated by N. G. Neill, commissioner of the North Battleford board of trade, and the object is to organize a Western Canada Colonization and Development League and steps to build up an empire in the west with a population in ten years of 10,000,000.

W. J. Magrath, president of the Edmonton Industrial association will speak on "Manufacturing in Alberta—Its Growth and Future Possibilities." Charles S. Hotchkiss, provincial publicity commissioner, on "Publicity." W. H. Brown, Dr. G. B. Bulyea, Geo. M. Hall and M. R. Jennings on other subjects.

Among the other speakers will be C. G. Porter, Winnipeg.

Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands in the British Columbia cabinet; C. W. Speers, of the Dominion Colonization department; C. W. Rowley, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Winnipeg; J. H. Haslam, Regina; Prof. W. J. Elliott, principal of the Old Agriculture school, M. H. Macleod, general manager of the C. N. R.; W. G. Dupont, general passenger agent of the C.T.P.; J. Clinkish, Saskatoon; C. R. McIntosh, I.A., editor of the North Battleford News; F. MacInnes, of the Saskatchewan board of trade; Norman S. Rankin, publicity agent of the C.T.P.; Osborne, Scott, assistant general passenger agent, C.N.R.; R. C. W. Lett, colonization agent of the C.T.P.; W. P. Hinton, assistant traffic manager of the C.T.P.; A. Miller, industrial commissioner, Calgary; Hon. W. R. Motherwell and Hon. Geo. Lawrence, ministers of agriculture for Saskatchewan and Manitoba, respectively.

On Saturday, May 16, an auto train will be made of North Battleford, Battleford and district. Arrangements have been secured for convenient rates and a hotel made for sleeper service to and from the convention city.

FAITH IN BLACK DIRT

The alleged interview started with W. R. Clarke saying: "I was played it and played it. I made \$2,000,000. Got it all in a lump sum. Black soil made Kansas. That taught me to stick to black dirt. I decided to do something big. I got a hunch and that hunch was black dirt. I heard about the new country in northwestern Canada. Sure enough the dirt was black. I went to the States where there was black dirt all round that I had ever seen—black dirt the soil of Kansas. There were not many farmers but I knew that would come. I got from the government a charter to build a railway 350 miles long from Edmonton to Fort McMurray. I had no trouble in getting the charter and they guaranteed my home."

My road was going through an unsettled country. They thought I was

RADIUM HIGHBALL IS TO BE NEXT DRINK

London, May 6.—"Give me a radium high ball," "I want a brandy with a dash of radium water" will soon be orders heard in the clubs according to an expert. Radium water has a direct infusion of radium salts. It is kept sparkling by the addition of ultra-violet rays and the addition of carbonic acid gas. The new preparation is patented by Dr. J. Magrath, who is erecting in London, where the radium will be an expert. Radium water has been sold to the public in England. The promoters claim it will be gratifying, also healthful.

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OPPOSITION LEADER WOBBLES ON POSITION OF ALBERTA PARTIES

W. H. Clarke Did Not Make Statements Alleged this Morning

The Capital wired W. R. Clarke at Kansas City as follows: W. R. Clarke, banker, Kansas City, Missouri

Can you confirm interview published in St. Louis Post Dispatch, December 30, 1913, stating that you got two million dollars from Alberta Government for settlement of A. and G. W.? Wire us collect.

(Signed) Daily Capital, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

The following reply was received this afternoon:

News Editor, Edmonton Daily Capital, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

Your telegram today asking W. R. Clarke's confirmation of interview in St. Louis Post Dispatch, December 30, 1913, received in his absence. Confirmation cannot be made, as such statements were not made by him.

(Signed) The United States Trust Co., of Kansas City.

W. R. CLARKE SAYS HE GOT \$2,000,000 FROM A. & G. W. POLITICS ARE DEGENERATING, SAYS MICHENER

Declares He is Disappointed Because He Did Not Get Fifty Millions?

"I WOULD HAVE GOT IT IF LEFT ALONE"

Remarkable Statements in Alleged Interview Read at Conservative Meeting.

Remarkable statements were contained in an alleged interview with W. R. Clarke, the Kansas City financier and promoter of the Alberta and Great Waterways railway, who failed in his contract to build the road, which was read to a meeting of conservatives held in the South Edmonton club rooms last night and at which Leader Michener was present.

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Leader Michener had a novel idea along the lines of showing the Alberta farmer how to farm. He thought that instead of building and equipping demonstration farms the government should send a staff of teachers who would go round and visit each farmer and tell him how to run his farm. "We are wholly ignorant of the conditions and who in many cases undoubtedly make great failures for want of information."

"Why does not the government send instructors to explain to them that a good herd of dairy cows will make a living for them and so demonstrate to them in a less ostentatious way than the method of agriculture is doing. His demonstration farms are a publicity department for the minister of agriculture."

Politics Degenerating.

"Politics are degenerating," declared Mr. Michener. "There is much to be demonstrated. Politics is no longer the service of government, but a mere party system." He declared that he was weary of his hand of eighteen conservatives in the Alberta legislature, but stated that "It was a

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SPORTS

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SPORTS

Sport Phone 1888

HUNDRED HORSES NOW STABLED FOR SPRING RACE MEET

Nearly That Many More Will
Be Added to Number Be-
fore May 23.

ENTRIES FROM ALL PARTS
OF CANADA AND STATES
Track in Excellent Condition—
California Horses
Entered.

Over a hundred race horses are now
stabled on the Exhibition grounds, in
training for the coming Spring race
meet, and race week will see from fifty
to a hundred more added to this num-
ber.

From east and west, north and
south, these best-footed steeds are
the Pacific provinces, the
Mexican slopes, peopled by Mexico
and sunny California, will all contribute
their quota to the opening meet of the
Western Canada Spring circuit, in Ed-
monton on May 23rd, 25th and 26th.

The track is in excellent condition,
much better than ever before, and the
city now furnishes a sprinkler at a
nominal charge, to keep it in good or-
der all summer, also the roads on the
exhibition grounds.

New Frenchwood will be represented
by the Cruikshank harness horses;
Otto Rife brings running horses from
Juarez, Mexico; seven racers come
from California by J. Stewart and
in addition to the seven Spokane hor-
ses, Len Chikis will bring seven from
California.

Fourteen race horses reached the
city yesterday from the Stables of
Messrs. Cole, Blackman and Atkinson,
of Miles City, Mont., and are now com-
fortably stabled on the Exhibition
grounds.

It is feared of Prince Albert will have
four runners, including "Sporting
Life" and "Mammy," and Dr. Osborne
of the same place has stabled his
intention of competing with his two
running horses.

Alberta is not behind in her contribu-
tion to the race meet. Calcutt
will well up to the mark with his quota.
McDonald has four runners, Fred
and Meyers two, James Noble Jr. brings
three harness horses, and J. Wall
comes with three. The McKenzie
string will uphold the honor of Ver-
million, and Geo. C. Allen is bringing
four horses from Wetaskiwin.

Local horsemen and local horses are
familiar, though not in the manner
which breeds contempt, and the per-
formance at Edmonton of local horses
will be watched with interest.

Clark will race four harness horses,
including Dr. Cragg's "Grey Ghost".
At Vancouver has five harness horses
in training, three belonging to Morton
of Toronto. In this string is "Alphard",
whose name is familiarly known to
Edmontonians, and "Dutty", the popular runner,
is included in Geo. Kaywood's four.

L. I. Dempster will enter eight har-
ness horses, Dr. B. W. with a mark of
2:06 1-4, search light, and The Fact
Included. F. E. Cummings is train-
ing ten horses for the race meet.
These are from the Wheat City stables
and the Capital stables. Rusty Coal
and Prince Rupert from the former
string are well known here, and figure
prominently on the race meet program.
McIntosh, Neville, Leslie, Hermal
and Cole will represent the Capital
stables.

Everything taken into consideration,
it is quite safe to prophesy that the
Spring race meet will be far in ad-
vance of any held heretofore, and the
blue and gold of the Exhibition as-
sociation will again be carried to vic-
tory on May 23rd, 25th and 26th.

AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Indoor Baseball League.

The following are the teams and
schedule of the Employed Boys' In-
door Baseball League:
Sluggers—O'Brien, (captain), Ran-
kin, Jones, E. Smith, Bowling, Keil,
Anderson, Morris, C. Bentley, S. Jones,
Muttart, Isnerman, Heath.
Eskimos—Taylor, (captain), Murray,
Clay, Godfrey, MacPherson, Hyde,
Smith, J. H. McQuay, H. Stanton,
Hardy, Jr.

Schedule:
May 5—Sluggers vs. Eskimos.
May 7—Dominions vs. Eskimos.
May 12—Dominions vs. Sluggers.
May 14—Sluggers vs. Eskimos.
May 19—Dominions vs. Eskimos.
May 21—Dominions vs. Sluggers.
May 26—Sluggers vs. Eskimos.
May 28—Dominions vs. Eskimos.
June 2—Dominions vs. Sluggers.
June 4—Sluggers vs. Eskimos.

EDMONTON MAN FOR BISLEY TEAM

Q. M. Sergt. McInnes of 19th
Alberta Dragoons Selected
on Team.

Ottawa, May 6.—The Bisley Team
for 1914, which will represent Canada
at the Bisley range in England, has
been completed as follows. Sergt.
McInnes, the winner of the Ser-
gent's prize last year, is again in-
cluded in the team. The officers in-
cluded in the team are: Lt.-Col. Jas. O. Ross,
Rt. Hon. R. H. McInnes, commandant,
Lt.-Col. C. W. Gibson, 13th Regt.
ment, Hamilton, adjutant.

The team is as follows: Private R.
A. Lowry, 36th Regiment, Guelph;
Sergt. A. C. Bullock, 2nd Q.O.R., Hal-
ifax; Sergt. G. W. Russell, the
G.D.F.A., Ottawa; Private W. Riddell,
4th Highlanders, Toronto; Sergt. A.
Martin, 10th Regt., Calgary; Private
W. J. Hendry, 7th Regt., Dundas;
Sergt. D. M. McKie, 3rd Regt., Guelph;
Lieut. C. N. Bennett, 5th Regt.,
Regt., Halifax; Col.-Sergt. J. S. Tod-
d, 1st Regt., 3rd Regt., Prince A.
Mitchell, 2nd V.R.C., Montreal;
Sergt. W. A. Hawkins, 4th Highland-
ers, Toronto; Sergt. J. H. Armstrong,
8th Regt., Halifax; Sergt. J. A.
Dording, 1st Regt., Hamilton; Private
H. D. Falconer, 7th Regt., Alton, Ply-
mouth County, N.S.; Piper J. D. Mac-
Leod, 4th Highlanders, Toronto; Mac-
Sergt. D. C. Blair, 5th Regt., Truro; C.M.
Sergt. D. R. McInnes, 19th A.D., Ed-
monton; Major G. W. King, 4th Regt.,
Peterborough; A. D. Noble, M.I.B.,
C.A., Montreal.

Waiting men: Lt. J. S. Noble, 10th
Regt., Halifax; Lieut. A. Brooks,
4th Highlanders, Toronto; Sergt. P.
Sergt. P. Armstrong, 13th Regt., Ham-
ilton; Private W. H. Moore, 5th Regt.,
Peterborough.

ENGLISH POLO TEAM MAY DECIDE POSTPONE VISIT

London, May 6.—Considerable com-
ment has been evoked in the English
papers, over the poor showing made
by the English team chosen to play this
year in America for the polo cup.

The sportsman says that realizing
something is wrong with the British
team, Baron Wimborne has changed
the order of his side for today's match
to be played against a strong team
consisting of Walter Buchman, Mr.
Grenfell, Capt. Cheape and Lord Wode-
house, whose handicap value is two
goals better than that of Baron Wim-
borne's team. The newspaper says that
if the challenging team does badly
today, it would be wise to consider
whether the trip to the United States
should not be postponed for a year,
as a bad failure on its part would do
much harm.

REGINA WINNER OF CLOSE GAME

Score 1 to 0 in Pitcher's Battle
—Carnier for Medicine
Hat Starred.

Medicine Hat, May 6.—By a one to
nothing score, the Regina Red Sox
took the opening game from Medicine
Hat yesterday after a most brilliant
exhibition of baseball played in most
unfavorable and cold weather. It was
a battle from start to finish, only
two men passed second base during
the whole battle. The Regina man
who scored, and a Hatter who started
a batting rally in the ninth with
out hitting a three bagger, but died
on third.

The game was a battle between
Lind and Butterfield, two of last year's
players. Lind had the best of the ar-
gument, but an error by Morse follow-
ing a hit and a sacrifice, allowed the
visitors to equal over the winning run
in the seventh.

The game was marred by some
brilliant fielding on both sides, while
the spectacular play honors went to
Carnier, the local shortstop, who proved
the star of the day. He made a bril-
liant running catch of a long one, cut-
ting off a sure hit, only to follow it
with a great catch of a drive and
double a man leading off first.

The opening was marred by a big
automobile parade, headed by a band.
Every seat in the park was full, with
a big overflow onto the grounds. Not
a kick was registered against the de-
cisions of Umpire Nunez.

WINNIPEG RIFLE MEN TO MAKE A TOUR OF WORLD

Winnipeg, May 6.—A team of rifle
men from the ninetieth Winnipeg
regiment may make a world-circling tour
this fall. The matter is now being
discussed and there is a good proba-
bility of the plan being carried out.
The idea is to send a team to shoot
for the Empire Trophy in Australia
this fall. The trophy is a prize held by
an English team, but it has been ar-
ranged to have it shot off in Aus-
tralia in 1914. The tentative plan
now discussed by officers of the 90th
call for a team of 8 men, a couple of
spares, a coach and a commanding of-
ficer. The team would leave Win-
nipeg in September or October and after
shooting in Australia would proceed
around the world, returning home by
the British Isles arriving in Win-
nipeg in February or March.

Sons of Scotland F.C.

The Sons of Scotland will meet the
City Daily in an intermediate league
game on Friday evening at 8:45 on the
south side exhibition grounds. The
following S.O.S. players are requested to
be on hand at 8:30 sharp: Smith, Mar-
tin and Heaney, Lammie, Snellie and
Davy. Clark, Livingston, Campbell,
Guthrie and Duncan. Reserves, Mann
and MacDonald.

Civic Cricket Club.

General meeting of the above club
will be held in the council chambers
tonight at 8 o'clock. All employees
of the various departments of the
city interested in cricket are cordially
invited to be present, as there is a big
scope for good cricketers among city
employees and this is the only way to
get acquainted.

Calgary Cadets Sail.

Quebec, May 6.—The team of Canadian
cadets, which will shoot at Bisley,
and which is almost wholly com-
posed of boys from Calgary, left for
England yesterday on the Royal Geo-
graph.

Grestes Zinner, now president of
Halt, was secretary of war of that
country in 1911.

BARRIEAU VS. ANDERSON

Heavy Batting of Calgary
Team Featured the
Contest.



Calgary, May 6.—In a local game of
baseball, featured by heavy hitting
the Bronks yesterday took the second
game of the series from the Moose
Jaw. The game was a score of 13 to 6.

Keslering went the route for the
Bronks and kept the hits very well
scattered. Lefty Cann opened for the
Moose but was pounded out of the box
in the fourth when the Bronks
battered all the way around, scoring
five runs. He was relieved by Galvin
who went along with flying colors for
two innings, being replaced by Stallop
in the seventh. The Bronks latted all
around again. In this round they got
but one hit, but without an accompan-
ied by errors were responsible for the four
runs that crossed the plate.

A fast double play in the sixth when
the bases were full and but one out
cut off what looked like a Moose Jaw
batting rally. Reynolds cut the run
off at the plate with a perfect heavy
throw to Jenez, who relayed the ball
to Strieb at first before Lorex could get
there. Crotch hitting again featured
for Calgary. He got four safeties out
of four times up and scored three of
Calgary's thirteen runs.

The score by innings:
Moose Jaw..... 2 100 000 6:35
Calgary..... 200 600 000 11:15
Cann, Galvin and Kelly, 9:5 and
Jones.

BIG LEAGUE STANDINGS

Western Canada League			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Calgary	2	0	1.000
Saskatoon	1	0	1.000
Regina	1	0	1.000
Edmonton	0	1	.000
Medicine Hat	0	1	.000
Moose Jaw	0	2	.000

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	12	2	.857
Philadelphia	8	4	.667
Brooklyn	6	6	.500
New York	6	5	.545
Cincinnati	7	9	.438
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Chicago	11	3	.786
Boston	9	5	.643

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	13	6	.684
Washington	8	6	.571
New York	7	6	.538
Philadelphia	7	6	.538
St. Louis	9	5	.643
Chicago	9	10	.476
Boston	4	8	.333
Cleveland	5	12	.294

International League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Newark	8	3	.720
Baltimore	5	6	.455
Rochester	6	6	.500
Toronto	5	6	.455
Jersey City	5	6	.455
Pittsburgh	5	7	.417
Providence	4	6	.400
Montreal	7	9	.438

Federal League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore	10	4	.714
St. Louis	11	6	.647
Chicago	9	6	.600
Indianapolis	8	5	.615
Brooklyn	6	5	.545
Buffalo	6	7	.462
Kansas City	9	7	.563
Pittsburgh	3	11	.214

Referee Stops Bout.

Paris, May 6.—Joe Borrelli, a middle-
weight boxer of Philadelphia last
night easily defeated Marcel Mar-
cau, a French middleweight, the referee
stopping the fight in the eighth round
of a scheduled 20-round bout.

Eskimos and Quakers Play Tie Game 4-4: Wilson's Single Through First in Eighth Scored Mills and Harley and Tied Score

BRONKS DEFEAT MOOSE JAW 13-6

Heavy Batting of Calgary
Team Featured the
Contest.

Calgary, May 6.—In a local game of
baseball, featured by heavy hitting
the Bronks yesterday took the second
game of the series from the Moose
Jaw. The game was a score of 13 to 6.
Keslering went the route for the
Bronks and kept the hits very well
scattered. Lefty Cann opened for the
Moose but was pounded out of the box
in the fourth when the Bronks
battered all the way around, scoring
five runs. He was relieved by Galvin
who went along with flying colors for
two innings, being replaced by Stallop
in the seventh. The Bronks latted all
around again. In this round they got
but one hit, but without an accompan-
ied by errors were responsible for the four
runs that crossed the plate.

A fast double play in the sixth when
the bases were full and but one out
cut off what looked like a Moose Jaw
batting rally. Reynolds cut the run
off at the plate with a perfect heavy
throw to Jenez, who relayed the ball
to Strieb at first before Lorex could get
there. Crotch hitting again featured
for Calgary. He got four safeties out
of four times up and scored three of
Calgary's thirteen runs.

The score by innings:
Moose Jaw..... 2 100 000 6:35
Calgary..... 200 600 000 11:15
Cann, Galvin and Kelly, 9:5 and
Jones.

WANDERERS WIN FROM DRAGOONS CRICKET TEAM

In their first league game of the
season the Wanderers defeated the
19th Dragoons by the score of 85 to
34. Wanderers had first use of dry
wicket and compiled the above re-
sult. The Dragoons played on a
full score for 91 wickets, playing one
man short. J. Blott made top score,
19 not out. Others to contribute
with double figures were: S. J. Thor-
burn 10, A. Wilson 14, and D. Lee 12.

Wanderers—S. J. Thorburn, 10; D.
Lee, 12; B. Victor, 6; R. W. Cundall, 4; N. Lee,
3; A. Wilson, 14; D. Lee, 12; S. John-
son, 2; J. Blott, not out; W. C. Jones,
5; H. F. Dawson, 1; extras, 15.
Total, 85.

12th Dragoons—A. Crosby, 2; J. B.
Healing, 6; R. W. Drake, 0; C. Y.
W. Weaver, 17; Cap. Hardisty, 0; P.
Hardy, 7; N. F. Weston, 1; M. McE.
Dawson, 6; C. Wright, not out; 7
extras, 4; total, 34.

Thorburn, 7 overs, 22 runs, 4 wickets.
Lee, 4.5 overs, 1 maiden, 4 runs, 4
wickets.

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empted from provisions of state 8-
hour labor law.

Eskimos Scored Four in Second—Nelson's two-bagger to Center Scored
Nurdyke and O'Brien—Nelson Scored on Fortier's Single
and Ruel's Two-bagger to left field Talled Povey—Three Out
and Bases Full—Costly Fielding Errors lost Chance for Win—
Attendance 2,000.

After scoring four runs in the sec-
ond and halting a two-run lead over
the Quakers until the eighth, the Es-
kimos last night threw away any chance
of a win. Costly errors in the field
ruined a grand rally and allowed Bud
Hurley's men to score two in the eighth,
tying the score and the game was called
on account of darkness.

It was a repetition of Monday's game
when fielding errors were the cause
of the Eskimos' undoing. There were
however, some brilliant features to yester-
day's contest, particularly among
these being the general all-round work
of catcher Nelson, whose two-bagger to
center in the second scored Nurdyke
and O'Brien and later crossed the plate
himself.

Killien who started the game on the
mound for the Eskimos lasted less than
two innings being replaced by Stallop
the husky fair haired boy from the
south. For the Quakers, Northrup
pitched a grand game, for seven inn-
ings striking out 11 men, but was hit pre-
tently in the second. In the sixth,
however, he found himself in a race and
was replaced by Flanagan in the last
inning, in order to allow the ex-Calgarian
pitching chance with the willow.

Killien struck out one and Stallop
four.

The Eskimos made four fielding er-
rors, while the Quakers got away with
a clean sheet. Killio who replaced
Northrup in the eighth, struck out three
in a row. Free passes were from
given by both pitchers. In the second,
Killien walked the first two batters up
and the trouble had begun. He then
made a poor throw to second and Fort-
ier also fumbled the ball when he got
out. Killien crossed the plate and
Hurley went to third and later scored
when Harper hit for three bags. Stal-
lop then took the reins and Hurley
for Harper but was nabbed at the bat.
Northrup was out to O'Brien, but two
runs had been scored.

It was Eskimos turn now, and they
started out to clean up. Nurdyke
batted over second. O'Brien drew
a walk. Nelson hit to deep
center, scoring the other two.
Nurdyke making the circuit from first
to third, scored on a passed ball.
Stallop fanned but Fortier singled to
left scoring Nelson. Povey singled to
left and forced Fortier out at the key-
stone sack. Povey moved along one
when Golds singled and came home
when Nelson hit for two bases to left.
Redmond was hit and the bases were
full. Nurdyke's fly to right was easy
out, but four runs had crossed and the
game was won right there, only to be
thrown away later.

In the fourth, Grover made first when
Ruel pegged poorly to that base, but
was out stealing second when Nelson
made a nice peg to O'Brien. Nelson,
Stallop and Fortier went out one, two,
three by the strike-out route in the
sixth, and Northrup was pitching great
ball.

Flanagan batting for Northrup in the
eighth was out, hit by batted ball.

The above teams clash at the old
exhibition grounds on Friday evening,
the game commencing at 6:15 sharp.
This game was originally scheduled
for Monday next but was set forward
a few days. Both the Callies and the
Sons have won their first games, so
Friday's contest should attract a large
crowd. The S.O.E. line-up will be
selected from the following players:
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sal, Eastham, Bradford, Gregory,
Ockenden, Coward, Jennings, Ray,
Hawkins and Chibbrey.

Sons of England vs. Callies.

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THE GAY WORLD.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin and son Fred, are leaving tomorrow for New York, from which they will sail on the Celtic for an extended trip to England and the continent.

Madame Wilfrid Garrihy has issued invitations for a tea on Saturday in honor of Miss Denis and Miss Madore, two brides elect.

The O-Mee-Mee chapter of the I. O. E. will meet on Thursday afternoon at three p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. P. MacDonald, Regent, 317 Seventh street.

This evening at eight o'clock at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. James Ross, on Tenth street, occurs the marriage of Miss Anna Lillian Robertson and Mrs. John Ross, both of Edmonton, Rev. D. G. McQueen will perform the ceremony.

Tomorrow evening Mr. T. R. Morrow of the Avonmore nurseries will address a meeting at the Riverdale school on plants and seed culture. Seeds will also be given out for use in that district.

Dr. De Wolfe Macdonald, who is at present the guest of Col. and Mrs. Belcher, leaves soon to visit a short time in Manitoba, after which she will take up her residence in Kingston, Ontario, for the summer months where her son, Beverley, graduates this spring from the Kingston Military Academy.

Mrs. Broad addresses the teachers of the south side this afternoon on equal franchise at the college, and tomorrow Miss Miesner of the University will address the members of the I.O.O.F. on the same subject.

The Mc-Mc-Ho-Sie Chapter I. O. E. of which Mrs. Harry Gowen is regent, will meet tomorrow, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Norman McPherson, LeMarchand Mansions, at three p.m.

Miss Marjorie Brown leaves tomorrow for Winnipeg for a day's visit with her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. E. Evans are back from an extended trip to England.

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and without opening the Bible recited ten chapters from the book of Genesis, and with dramatic emphasis told the story of Joseph and his brethren. It was a remarkable example of the reciter's powers of interpretation. A modern audience of over 1,600 people in a modern church were thrilled as they listened to the reverent recitation of a story nearly 4,000 years old, told in the simple language of the Bible, for nearly half an hour. Mr. Piercy brought his hearers into living touch with the characters of the story. At times it seemed as though the patriarch Jacob was really speaking, so vividly did the reciter interpret the scriptures.

CITY BEAUTIFUL LECTURE UNQUALIFIED SUCCESS.

More than four hundred people gathered in Mackay avenue school last night to attend the lecture on gardening, three hundred young people, and about one hundred adults, which certainly speaks well for the interest in that district.

Rev. D. G. McQueen presided in his usually pleasing manner, and in his opening remarks told the youngsters that Mackay avenue was the first school in the city of Edmonton, and that when he came to the city twenty-seven years ago a little frame school-house stood on the same spot where the large school building is now, and he hoped they would bear this in mind and try to make their district one of the prettiest in the whole city, as it was at that time.

Major Watt then played the Maple Leaf all of the children joining in the song with lusty voices, after which Mrs. Rosa Greve, a new musician who has recently come to Edmonton, gave a delightful violin solo, accompanied by Major Watt, which was heartily enjoyed and determinedly encored until Major Watt informed the children that there would be another solo later on.

Mr. McIntosh then made a short address on how to grow seeds and impressed upon them the necessity of preparing their earth deep and watering the seeds well, and also gave instructions how to grow sweet peas. He then stated that as he was not a speaker, but a worker, that he would devote two hours each week, say on Saturday morning or any other morning the scholars and principal desired, to instruct them practically in garden work, and how to plant seeds and shrubs. This was also well received and heartily applauded.

Then came another violin solo and piano accompaniment, which was followed by a magic lantern show conducted by Master Adrian McGrath, who had kindly brought down his lanterns and showed the children 125 pictures of garden and other scenes, kindly loaned by Mr. Ernest Brown. Then came the distribution of the seeds of which between 45 and seven hundred packages were distributed, each child being allowed two packages. Flower seeds were the most popular, however, and sweet peas and pansies were the favorites. Of the vegetable seeds radishes, lettuce, cauliflower and carrots seemed the favorites.

When Mr. A. E. Potter, who lives in the district, came to the platform, greeted with a rousing cheer from the youngsters, and the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Later Mr. McQueen called Mr. Potter to the platform and he thanked them for their interest in the garden work, and expressed his hope that he would see them making a success of their flower and garden seeds.

Too much cannot be said of the kindness and courtesy shown and the interest manifested by every one in making the meeting a success. And special thanks are due to Dr. McQueen, Major Watt, Mrs. Greve, Master Adrian McGrath, Mr. Ernest Brown, Mr. Bailey, principal of Mackay avenue school, who was present and materially assisted in making things pass off pleasantly, as well as sustaining the children's interest in the work in hand and to Mr. Holmes, who gave "Mother Macree" just before the close of the meeting; also to Mr. Tessier, who so kindly placed the Separate School hall at the disposal of the committee for the use of the choral society in order that the meeting might be held in the Mackay assembly hall. The ladies who had the matter in charge wish to cordially thank one and all for the more than kind manner in which they were assisted, and who manifested such earnest interest in this city beautiful work in this, its pioneer effort.

City Beautiful Work.
This afternoon in the Separate School, at three thirty p.m., Mr. Murray will lecture to the children of the Separate School on planting seeds and growing shrubs and flowers. Seeds will also be distributed, as at Mackay avenue school last evening.

Consumers' League.
At Hamilton, Ontario, there is a magnificent market. There fruits, vegetables and flowers of the finest kinds may be bought at the lowest prices. These products have had but one handling and are still firm and fresh when offered for sale—an increased advantage to the consumer. Meat, poultry, butter and eggs are also sold. Often by women who may handle in large or small quantity as they wish.

That this market has been of incalculable value to the farmers is indicated by the fact that it is carried on almost continuously, while formerly it was held but three mornings a week. It has also been a factor in the encouragement of intensive farming, and in the cultivation of smaller plots of ground on the outskirts of the city which would otherwise be idle. The merchants of Hamilton must have benefited very greatly by the purchases of these farmers who come to town in such numbers each week. All of these things would be of similar advantage to Edmonton, and there is no reason why, eventually, we should not have as fine a market as Hamilton. (Signed) EVELYN H. DICKSON.
May 4, 1914

AT THE PANTAGES THIS WEEK



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE IS MOVING TO ITS NEW HOME

The Catholic Women's league has taken a larger home and also, one more centrally located than the one they now occupy at 543 Eleventh street. The new house, which they will move into on the 15th of this month, is now known as "Aspen Lodge" and is located at 321 Fifth street.

At the regular monthly meeting of the league which was held on Monday, committee members were appointed to attend to the different details connected with the furnishings of the new home, and their instructions were to make it as homelike and comfortable as possible. Therefore in view of the fact that the league will be prepared in the future to furnish board as well as rooms, Catholic young ladies will no doubt be eager to reserve rooms at the home, which has been fitted up especially for them.

The Bravest Battle
The bravest battle that ever was fought! Shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not. 'Twas fought by the mothers of men. Nay, not with cannon or battle shout, With sword or noble pen. Nay, not with eloquent word or thought, From mouths of wonderful men.

But deep in a walled-up woman's heart, A woman that would not yield, But bravely, silently bore her part—Lo! there is that battle fought. No marshalling, none, no hyaline song, No banner to gleam and wave; But, oh! these battles, they last so long.

Yet, faithful still as a bridge of stars, She fights in her walled-up town, Fights on and on in the endless war; Then, silent, unseen, goes down. O yes, with banners and battle shout, And soldiers to shout and praise, I tell you the kindest victories fought Are fought in these silent ways.

WOULD DEPOSE COUNTESS.

Rome, May 3.—The second day's meeting of the International Council of women, now being held in Rome under the presidency of the Countess of Aberdeen, developed an effort to depose the countess from this position which she has held for 29 years.

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WORLD CHANGES BENEFIT PEACE RIVER COUNTRY

The Peace River country, roughly known as that part of Alberta lying north and west of the city of Edmonton, that part of British Columbia north and east of the Rocky mountains, has always been described by those who have visited it as a territory phenomenally rich in natural resources, principally agricultural.

It has also, ever since explored, been known to be blessed with several other unique features, its climate for instance. Although farther north than many other parts of the world, those who have visited it have found it to be a healthy, bracing climate; not tropical, of course, but much milder than was popularly supposed years ago and milder than most other parts of the world in the same latitude.

Cattle and horses often stay outside all winter and what is more, thrive that way. This is unknown in Ontario and Manitoba, once thought to be the greatest agricultural provinces in the Dominion.

Indian Inspector Testifies

M. A. Conroy, Indian inspector of the Dominion government, said once that the climate of the Peace River district was as healthy as that of the United States, which is said by many to be the finest, taken all the year round, Canada; that the Chinook winds were felt as far north as Lesser Slave lake and that for 21 days in one winter he had stayed there he did not need an overcoat in the middle of the day. Cattle were out in the pasture

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from an ordinary field of wheat. Barley sown after the middle of May is usually ripe in the last week in July. The continuous daylight with about 18 hours of sunshine account for the rapid growth of all vegetables in these parts. (See the evidence of Fred S. Lacombe, justice of the peace of Fort Vermilion, in "The Senate Report of 1907," pages 161 to 167.)

Describing an extended trip through the Peace River country, H. P. Rath, A.L.S. last August, stated that in the vicinity of Dunvegan, "the crops were looking fine and were two weeks' earlier than the Edmonton district crops, as shown had commenced to change color on July 26. The principal crops are wheat, oats, barley and all kinds of vegetables."

Wheat Ripe in July
Winter wheat was cut at Peace River Crossing on July 13, 1913. Until recent years the Peace River country, on account of its location, would have been of little or no value, from an economic standpoint, no matter how great its wealth. Practically up to date all markets have been in the east. Even Manitoba and Saskatchewan were considered to be handicapped because of their distance from markets and a bumper crop would have produced a glut; in fact, there are many farmers in the west today who will remember the years and years when wheat sold at 10 cents per bushel in Manitoba and had to be hauled great distances to the railways.

Universal Changes
But the world has experienced remarkable changes in the last decade. The Peace River country is going ahead by leaps and bounds, said William B. Schraner, a well known stock dealer of Omaha, Nebraska, who returned to Edmonton recently from Dunvegan, where he went with a party of five stock men, including horses and cattle. Mr. Schraner was accompanied by P. J. Hurst, who is reported to have sold at Omaha. This was his third trip to the Peace River country.

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Long Hours of Sunshine
The favorable climate for agriculture in the Peace River district in the summer time is due to the long hours of sunshine during that portion of the year together with the fact that the rainfall of the year occurs almost entirely in the growing season. The district lies between the 48th and 50th degrees of latitude, at Fort Vermilion, in its most northern reaches, wheat and vegetables have been raised annually during the past 24 years. In some years the wheat has yielded as high as 60 bushels per acre. Spring wheat at

or two, and in no part have they been more remarkable than in China and Japan. These two countries contain almost one-third of the population of the entire world, and in the last quarter of a century have evolved from uncivilized nations (uncivilized as it is known in the occident) into two of the most highly developed on the globe. This fact has worked a tremendous change in the economic fabric of the whole universe—and the Peace River country, being the closest great undeveloped territory to these Oriental nations, will secure the greatest benefits therefrom.

Transformed in a Night
In short, almost in one night, as history goes, what has been described by many as the richest area in the world, generally understood and unexplored, is thrown into contact with half the world's people and a market for everything it can produce, and, indeed, it is now a world market what may be the results.

The present time may be said to be the eve of the development of the Peace River country. Three railways are being built into it from Edmonton, namely, the Edmonton, Dunvegan and H.C. with its subsidiaries, the Canadian Northern and the Alberta and Great Waterways—and one from Vancouver and Prince George—the Pacific Great Eastern. About a dozen others are charters, and it is safe to say, considering the remarkable interest being shown in the country, that within three or four years all of them will have started construction.

Opinion Unanimous
Settlers are pouring into almost every part of the vast district which has never before poured into any similar territory. Recent travelers from Edmonton unanimously report that they have never seen anything like the trek which is just starting. Farmers, prospectors, investors, conservative-minded bankers, legislators—everybody, in fact—all talk in the same way. The magnitude of the country astounds them, its riches surpasses their beyond description. H. Milton Martin, ex-president of the Edmonton board of trade, for instance, stated recently after an extended tour

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of the country that "you cannot lie about the Peace River country."

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Industrial Expansion Inevitable
With the wealth of the land, the forest, the sea and the air, the basic forms—so plentifully distributed, it does not require the vision of a prophet to foresee industrial development springing up. In fact, it is inevitable, from the very reasons which were considered to force the Peace River country outside the pale of commercial development, that is, its isolation from the rest of the world, and its isolation from markets. There are the raw material and power (coal, waterpower, gas and oil), and with the increase of population will come a home market.

One of the groups of men who appear to be forecasting the future of the Peace River country is the group of men who are looking ahead and see what is bound to happen in that comprising the officers and directors of the Peace River Land and Development company, a new corporation with headquarters in 2028, Moser-Block, Edmonton. This company is incorporated under the laws of the province of Alberta with a capital of \$100,000, and its primary objects are twofold, as follows:

First, to deal in townships and farm lands, principally along the lines of new railways at present being built north, northwest and northeast from Edmonton, and especially the Peace River country, along the lines of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and R.C., the Canadian Northern and the Alberta and Great Waterways railways.

Railways Guaranteed.
Second, to invest in the purchase of agreements for the sale of land.

The railways above mentioned, with the exception of the Alberta and Great Waterways railway, are being built by the greater part of the world's great under guarantees of their respective bond issues by the Alberta government, and especially the H.C. and C.N. The H.C. and C.N. is actually constructed, steel and all, for a distance of about 170 miles from Edmonton, which brings it past Dunvegan, Lesser Slave lake, while grading on completed to Round Lake, the junction of the Central Canadian railway.

It is but the beginning of the vast amount

of railway construction which will take place during the next few years.

Land Values Increase.
All these railways will mean the establishment of new towns and cities, with the consequent increase in land values therein, making possible large profits for investors in these lands. The company is that of purchasing agreements of sale at a discount. It is customary for many vendors of real estate to realize in cash sales they make on terms and they often pay bonuses as high as ten per cent, or more on the total amount of such deferred payments to some individual or firm, to whom is given an assignment of the agreement, as well as a clear title deed.

Resources Varied
In addition to the railway development just beginning and the agricultural settlement, now well started, there is certain to be activities in every other direction, including mining, timbering, fishing and industry.

On account of the size of the country and the fact that only during the last few years has its worth been even to any considerable extent realized, the mineral wealth of the country is not yet known very accurately. It is definitely known that in the western portion of what is known as the Peace River country there exist enormous quantities of coal, of an exceptionally high grade—some say equal to that of the United States.

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